SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 328

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to join Texans across the state in celebrating March 1, 2017, as United Way Day; and

WHEREAS, United Way chapters work with local community organizations to find creative solutions to the various problems facing Texans each day; there are more than 70 United Way organizations across the state that mobilize thousands of volunteers each year; and

WHEREAS, United Way organizations play a vital role in supporting a wide range of causes, including education, financial stability, and 2-1-1 information service; and

WHEREAS, The United Way draws on the generosity and volunteerism of communities to reinvest the hundreds of millions of dollars in contributions that make for measurable change and a profound difference in the lives of countless people; and

WHEREAS, The United Way brings people together for the common good of communities throughout the world, and it is truly $\frac{1}{2}$ fitting that a day be set aside to pay tribute to this exceptional organization for its invaluable contributions to our state; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 85th Legislature, hereby commend the United Way staff, volunteers, and donors on their commitment to strengthening Texas communities and extend to all best wishes for a productive and memorable United Way Day; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared in honor of this special occasion.

Zaffirini, Perry

President of the Senate I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on February 28, 2017. Secretary of the Senate Member, Texas Senate